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Dear Sir:

In regard to the above-identified issued United States Patent, the Patentees have noted a number of errors thereon, and desire to correct same. To this end, Patentees attach as an Appendix Form PTO/SB/44, with the proposed changes noted thereon.

Patentees respectfully submit that each of these proposed changes merely correct editorial errors, and as such add no new matter to the Patent. Accordingly, Patentees respectfully request that each of these proposed corrections be entered and made of record.

As several of the appended proposed corrections resulted from the Patentees' mistake, Patentees are submitting the \$100.00 fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.20(a).

A Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) was previously submitted during prosecution of the application on October 6, 2003, and thus the undersigned already has authority to take action in this matter.

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Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

- Column 3, Line 17: Delete "psuedo" and insert -- pseudo --, therefor.
- Column 5, Line 17: Delete "--10%," and insert -- 10%, --, therefor.
- Column 6, Line 14(Approximately): Delete "alignent" and insert -- alignment --, therefor.
- Column 6, Line 53: Delete "hydrophillic" and insert -- hydrophilic --, therefor.
- Column 8, Line 62: After "fibers" insert -- . . .
- Column 9, Line 5: Delete "hydrophilicit" and insert -- hydrophilic it --, therefor.
- Column 9, Line 8: Delete "hyluronic" and insert -- hyaluronic --, therefor.
- Column 10, Line 4: Delete "centrifucation)" and insert -- centrifugation) --, therefor.
- Column 10, Line 11: Delete "fibrous" and insert -- fibrous --, therefor.
- Column 11, Line 35: Delete "suturability" and insert -- saturability --, therefor.
- Column 12, Line 35: Delete "osteo conductivity" and insert -- osteoconductivity --, therefor.
- Column 17, Line 58: In Claim 1, after "way" insert -- that, said --.
- Column 18, Line 10(Approximately): In Claim 4, after "acid," insert -- poly-glycolic acid, --.
- Column 18, Line 27: In Claim 10, delete "step" and insert -- steps --, therefor.
- Column 19, Line 11: In Claim 22, after "vessel and" insert -- from --.
- Column 20, Line 1: In Claim 29, delete "claimed 1," and insert -- claim 1, --, therefor.

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Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
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